NOTICE OF MEETING

TO: Transportation Interim Committee

FROM: Benjamin N. Christensen, Research Analyst

DATE: October 4, 2000

SUBJECT: October 18 Meeting

Sen. Peter C. Knudson and Rep. Marda Dillree have scheduled a meeting of the Transportation Interim Committee as follows:

DATE: Wednesday, October 18, 2000

TIME: **9:00 a.m.**

PLACE: Room 405 State Capitol

If you are unable to attend, please call me or Junie Anderson at 538-1032.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Sen. Peter C. Knudson, Senate Chair Rep. Marda Dillree, House Chair

Sen. R. Mont Evans	Rep. Carl W. Duckworth	Rep. Karen W. Morgan
Sen. Karen Hale	Rep. Kory M. Holdaway	Rep. Joseph G. Murray
Sen. Eddie "Ed" P. Mayne	Rep. Bryan D. Holladay	Rep. Lowell A. Nelson
Rep. Gerry A. Adair	Rep. Dennis H. Iverson	Rep. Richard M. Siddoway
Rep. Don E. Bush	Rep. Brad King	

Revised AGENDA

Transportation Interim Committee

Wednesday, October 18, 2000 – 9:00 a.m. – Room 405 State Capitol

(Approximate Time Frame) •

9:00 a.m. 1. Committee Business

(Consideration of the minutes of the August 16, 2000 Transportation Interim Committee meeting.)

9:05 a.m. 2. Driving Under the Influence Penalties – Update

(This is a report from the Governor's Council on Driving Under the Influence, which was created this year by executive order.)

! Rep. Nora B. Stephens

9:20 a.m. 3. Preservation of Mass Transit Corridors and Light Rail/Commuter Rail Update

(The legislature directed the Utah Transit Authority (UTA) to develop a proposal for a commuter rail project, pursue federal funding, and begin negotiations for right-of-way acquisition. UTA has also begun construction on the light rail extension from Main Street to the University of Utah and has been pursuing federal funding and negotiating a full funding agreement.)

- ! John M. Inglish, Utah Transit Authority
- ! Kathryn H. S. Pett, Utah Transit Authority

9:50 a.m. 4. Annual State Highway System Changes (Draft Legislation)

(The department is required to annually submit its recommended changes to the state highway system. The changes are incorporated into draft legislation for committee consideration.)

! Linda Toy Hull, Utah Department of Transportation

10:00 a.m. 5. Construction Bid Limits (Draft Legislation)

(In the July meeting, the committee voted to have draft legislation prepared to raise the state's project competitive bid limit to \$100,000 to match the bid limit for counties and municipalities.)

10:15 a.m. 6. Eminent Domain and Public Rights-of-Way

(In the June meeting, a briefing was given on the issues, and a working group on eminent domain reform indicated they would meet and report back to the committee. The working group will report its findings and recommendations.)

- ! Craig M. Call, State Ombudsman, Department of Natural Resources
- ! Lyle McMillan, Utah Department of Transportation
- ! Craig Hall, South Salt Lake City

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10:45 a.m. 7. Vehicle Impound and Release Issues (Draft Legislation)

(In the May meeting, the committee discussed the issues and considered potential improvement measures. A representative of the Office of Planning and Budget offered to bring back additional proposed changes that are supported by the interested groups.)

11:30 a.m. **8. Other Committee Business**

- ! *Air Quality Conformity Update
- ! *Department of Transportation Payroll Issues

9. Adjourn